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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of: NITSCH et al.

Via facsimile  
703-872-9306

Application No.: 09/831,754

Art Unit: 1646

Filed: October 15, 2001

Examiner: Olga CHERNYSHEV

For: METHODS OF DIAGNOSING OR TREATING NEUROLOGICAL DISEASES AND CELL  
DEGENERATION

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith, by facsimile, please find:

- ☒ Supplemental Amendment  
☐ Petition for extension of time  
☐ Fee payment      ☐ Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 for \$ .  
                                 ☐ Charge \$ \* to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.  
                                 ☐ Small entity status established in connection with the subject application.

| Fee Calculation  |                          |                                 |               |                  |                  |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|
| Excess Claims  |                          |                                 |               |                  |                  |
|  | N <sup>o</sup> of Claims | Highest N <sup>o</sup> Paid For | Excess Claims | Small Entity Fee | Large Entity Fee |
| Total  | *                        | ⊖ * =                           | 0             | ⊖ \$9 =          | \$ ⊖ \$18 =      |
| Ind.   | *                        | ⊖ * =                           | 0             | ⊖ \$42 =         | \$ ⊖ \$84 =      |
| ( ) Multiple Dependent Claims (1 <sup>st</sup> Filing) |                          |                                 |               | ⊖ \$140 =        | \$ ⊖ \$280 =     |
| Excess Claims Fee                                      |                          |                                 |               | \$               | \$               |
| Extension of Time Fee                                  |                          |                                 |               | \$               | \$               |
| Other:   |                          |                                 |               | \$               | \$               |
| Total Fee Due  |                          |                                 |               | \$0              | \$0              |

- ☐ If a petition for extension of time is necessary, but not enclosed, then this acts as the petition. Charge any fees additionally necessary in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The instant paper, submitted by facsimile, supplements the Amendment concurrently filed (along with a petition and fee for the requisite extension of time), by hand carry to the PTO mailroom, in response to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2003.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 20 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 23 of this paper.